

One year old?
Very interesting.

I have a friend who
collected every issue.

Well, Dick,
this is our first
anniversary.

Do they
still
have
to
burp
it?

Oh really, I don't even
remember getting engaged.

Must be a
garbage man!

Our readership
is growing
by leaps
and
bounds.

This issue
has been
micro
filmed
for our
funny
spies
overseas.

I suppose it is
a miracle of sorts.

I didn't
know
kangaroos
could
read.

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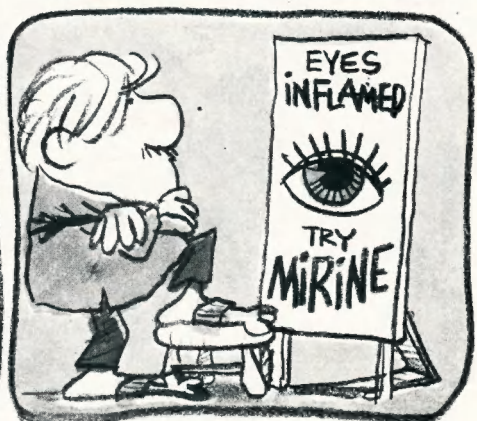
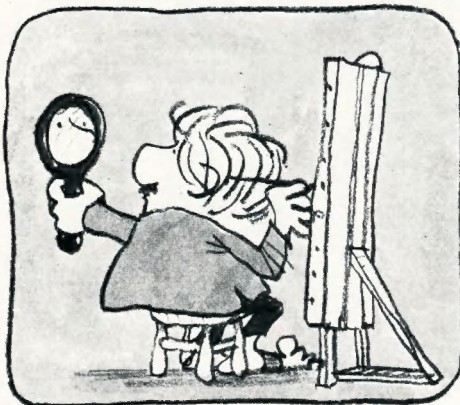
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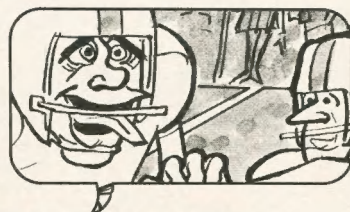
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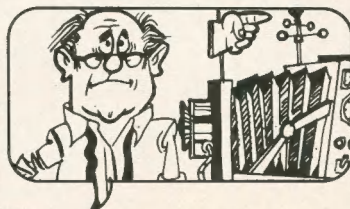
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LETTERS TO LAUGH-IN

May the blue-bird of happiness land on your little sweet bippy and kiss you to death.

R. Keith, Seaman
Fort Wayne, Ind.

I read your magazine every month and I think it's just positively groovy.

Emory Cox
Bar Harbor, Me.

Dear L.I.:

I've just read the August issue of your magazine and I have to admit it: "It was funny!" Your issues are getting better every month. Keep up the humorous work.

R. A.
Brooklyn, N.Y.

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Dear L.I.:

If you guys had any brains you'd see that your subscriptions would boom if you had Playboy-type pinups.

L.S.D.
Waco, Texas

Dear L.S.D.:

We agree but we just couldn't convince Rowan and Martin to do it.

Dear L.I.:

I've been reading your magazine for a long time now and the only thing I have to say is, "Keep up the good work!"

D.B.
Mankato, Minn.

Dear L.I.:

The best part of LAUGH-IN #9 were page 4, the left side of page 8, the right side of page 9, page 46 and 47, and page 51.

P.S.: I dare you to print this letter.

P.P.S.: I double-dare you!
Secret Admirer
Nashua, N.H.

Dear L.I.:

My brother has just come out of the hospital after recovering from a broken arm. The reason for this was he fought to decide who was to put your magazine in the garbage.

Mary Eickmaier
Scarborough, Ontario

Dear L.I.:

I think your mag is just great. I have just one question, who is Henny Youngman?

T.J.H.
Winston-Salem, N.C.

Dear L.I.:

According to the dictionary your mag can be described as a rag. Would that make you a ragamuffin, a ragweed, or a ragpicker?

R.C.L.M.
Dayton, Ohio

Dear L.I.:

I hate to tell you this, but your magazine is slowly going downhill. On page fifty of my June edition the title of the article which was supposed to have been "Dreams of the Famous — Analyzed" was left out. Does that make my issue a collectors item or a piece of hacked-up pulp?

Tom Robbins
Gulfport, Fla.

Dear T.R.:

Both!

Dear L.I.:

I love your magazines; but what in the world is a bippy?

K.Q. McCormick, S.C.

Dear L.I.:

I purchased a LAUGH-IN magazine and thought it was out of sight. I am in the Army and I have lots of reading time so keep them coming and you will be up tight.

Karl Hunsinger
Port Royal, S.C.

Dear L.I.:

Those Ning-Nangs who wrote in the August issue ought to be "Southern Fried" in pickle juice! Foon is not a Southern religion! Foon was originated in Hollywood, California not Hollywood, Florida!

Foon Phil
Granada Hills, Calif.

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SON OF MOTHER GOOSE

BY
PHIL HAHN
AND
JACK HANRAHAN
ILLUSTRATED BY WALTER LEE.





Little Jack Horner
Sat in a corner
Eating his Christmas Pie;
He put in his thumb
And pulled out a plum, and said,
"What am I eating Christmas pie for?
I'm Jewish!"



Pat-a-cake, Pat-a-cake, Baker's man
Bake me a cake as fast as you can.
Roll it and pat it and mark
it with "B"
And put it in the oven
Before the Health Inspector gets here



Doctor Foster went to Gloucester,
In a shower of rain;
He stepped in a puddle
Up to his middle,
And he doesn't make house calls
anymore.



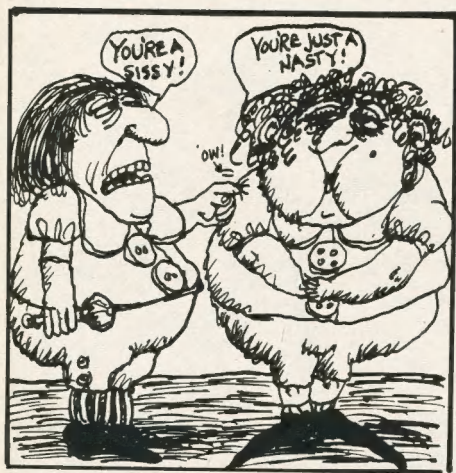
Diddle, Diddle Dumpling,
My son John,
Went to bed with his breeches on;
One shoe off and one shoe on,
Stoned out of his mind.



There was an old woman
Who lived in a shoe,
She had so many children
She didn't know what to do.
Now they tell her about the pill!



Rub-a-Dub-Dub, Three men in a tub,
And who do you think they be;
The butcher, the baker,
The candlestick maker;
They're all three some kind of nuts!



Tweedle-dum and Tweedle-dee
Resolved to have a battle,
For Tweedle-dum said Tweedle-dee
was effeminate.



Oh, do you know The Muffin Man,
The Muffin Man, The Muffin Man,
Oh, do you know The Muffin Man,
That lives in Drury Lane?
Oh, yes I know The Muffin Man,
The Muffin Man, The Muffin Man,
Oh, yes I know The Muffin Man,
He's a nutty old man.



What are little girls made of?
What are little girls made of?
Sugar and spice,
And everything nice;
Plus a little sodium proprionate
to retard spoilage.



Simple Simon met a pieman
Going to the Fair,
Said Simple Simon to the pieman,
"Let me taste your ware."
Said the pieman to Simple Simon,
"Show me first your money."
Said Simple Simon to the pieman,
"Don't you accept Diners' Club Cards?"



Bobby Shaftoe's gone to sea
Silver buckles on his knee,
He'll come back and marry me;
My lawyer says so.



Wee Willie Winkle
Runs through town,
Upstairs and Downstairs,
In his nightgown,
He should be reported
to the police.



There was an old woman;
Lived up on the hill:
And if she's not gone,
Man, I don't know anybody who is!



Polly, put the kettle on,
Polly, put the kettle on,
Polly, put the kettle on,
And stay away from the cooking sherry.



Mistress Mary, quite contrary,
How does your garden grow?
With silver bells and cockle shells
And a few patches of grass.



Three blind mice! Three blind mice!
See how they run, see how they run,
They all ran after the farmer's wife,
Did you ever see such a sight in your life,
As mice who are on the sauce?



Here we go 'round the Mulberry Bush,
The Mulberry Bush, The Mulberry Bush,
Here we go 'round the Mulberry Bush;
And this is the last time she'll
go to a company picnic.



Peter, Peter, Pumpkin Eater,
Had a wife and couldn't keep her.
He put her in a pumpkin shell.
It's now at the bottom of the harbor.



There was a little girl
And she had a little curl,
Right in the middle of her forehead;
And when she was good, she was very good
But when she was bad, she was terrific.



Sing a song of sixpence,
A pocketful of rye,
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so I can hang up on you?

*Is that your face or five pounds of
scar tissue?*

Meet me at the corner and I'll treat you to
■ nice hit and run accident.

How old were you when they cut
off your horns?

I wish I were vaccinated against you.

You never looked better in your life —
whenever that was.

What was the report on your autopsy?

*They say that beauty is only skin deep — and
it's people like you who keep saying it.*

*I think something could be made of you —
after all, penicillin is made out of mold.*

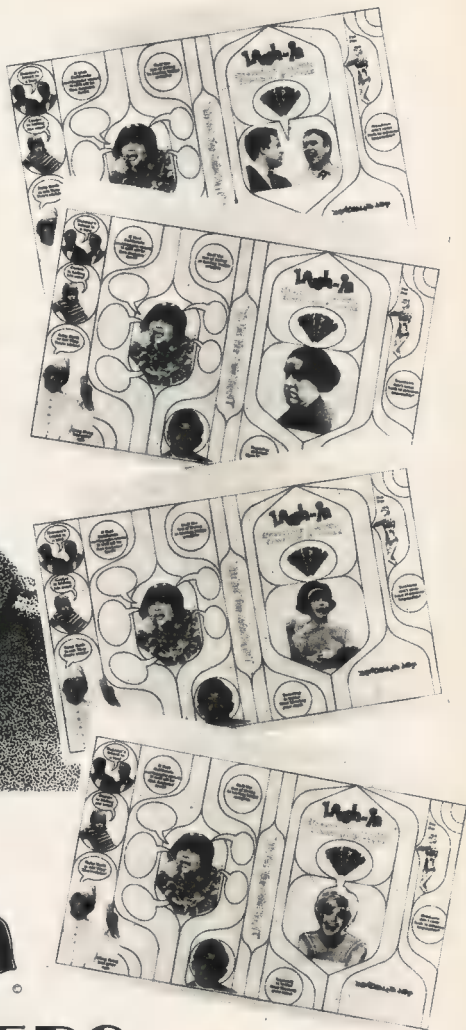
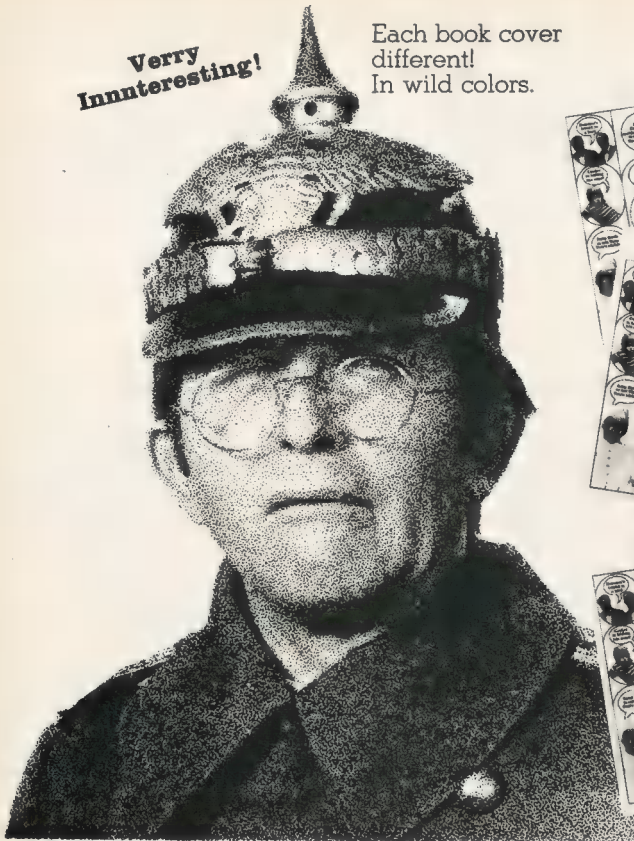
I like that outfit — it looks great
considering the shape it's ON.

I treasure every moment we're apart.

*Your face is familiar, but that's all
I can say about it.*

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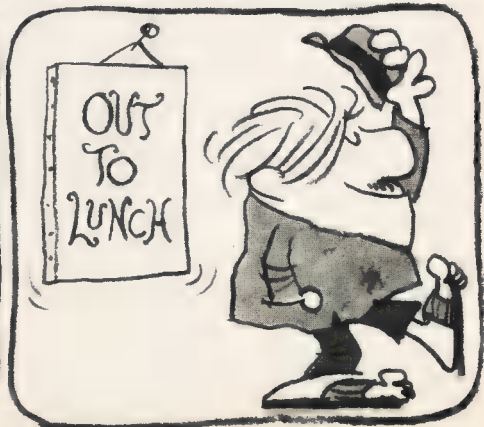
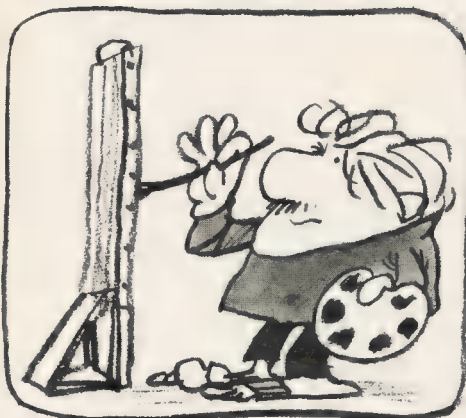
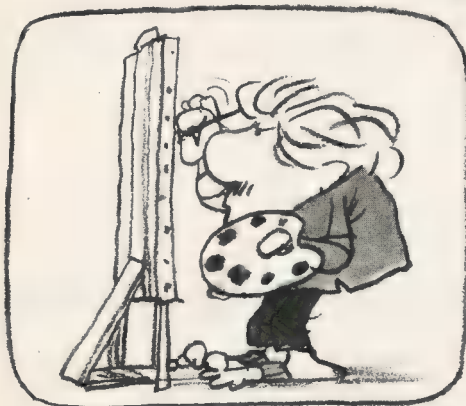
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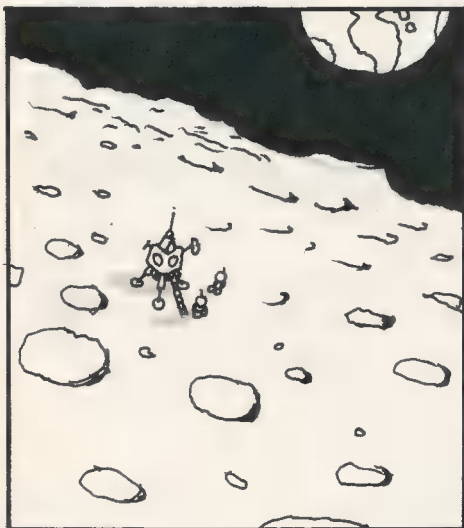
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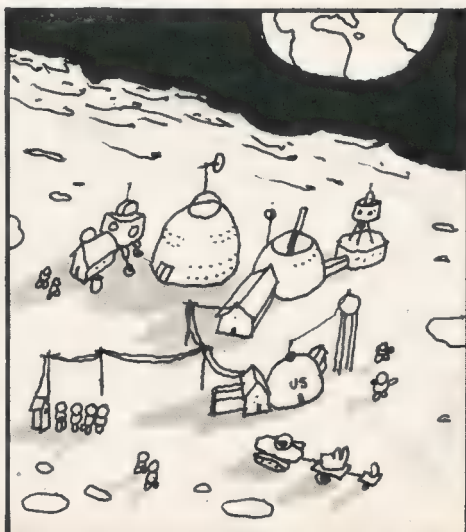
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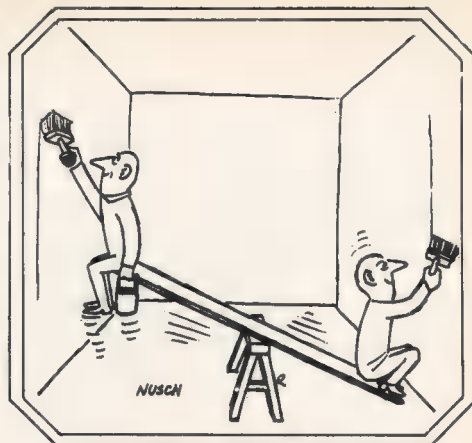


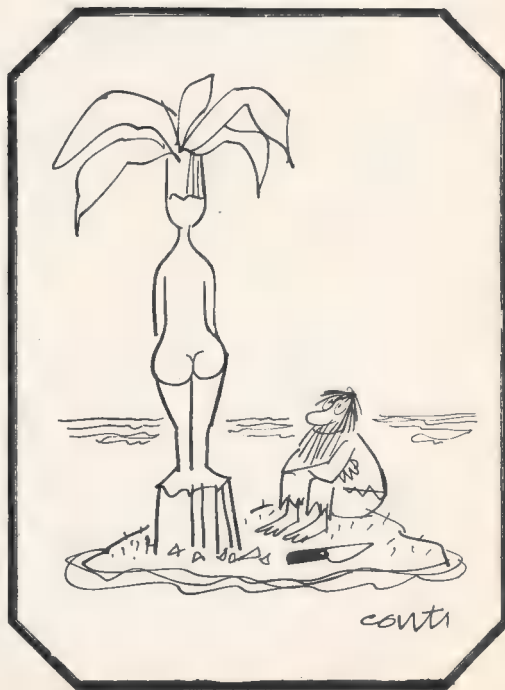
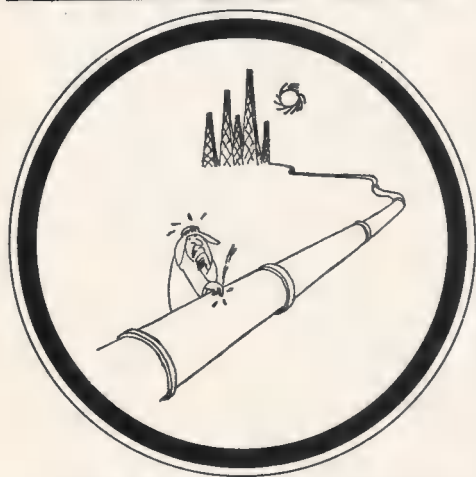
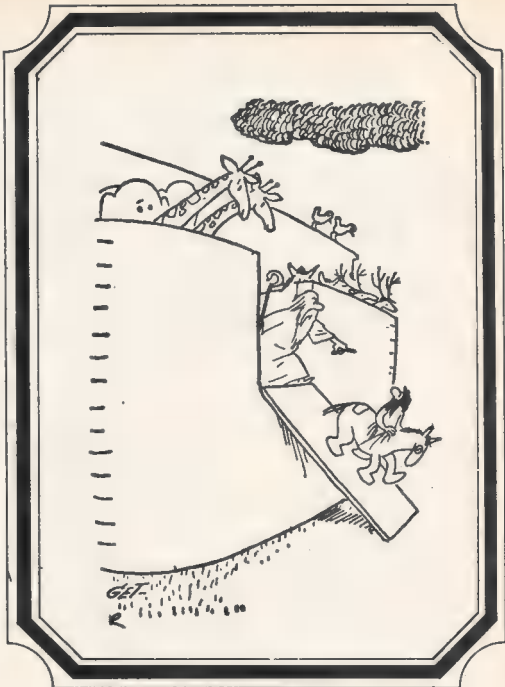
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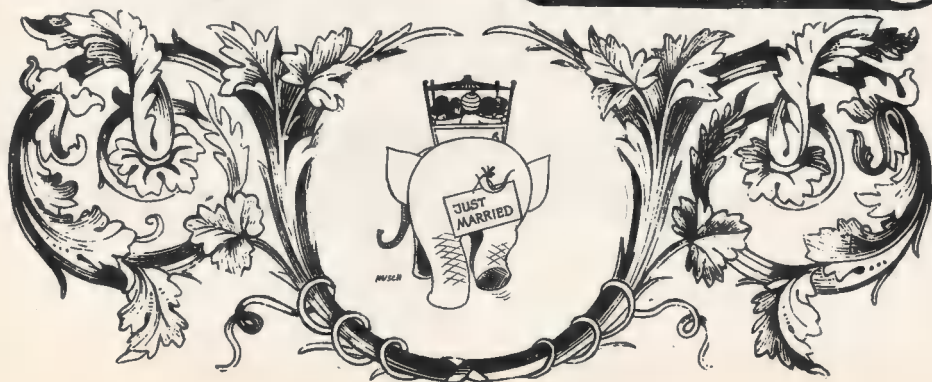
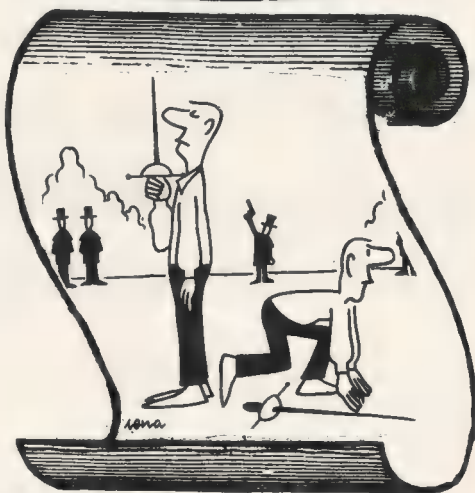
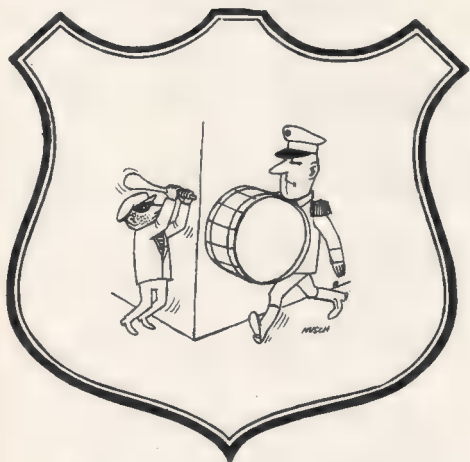
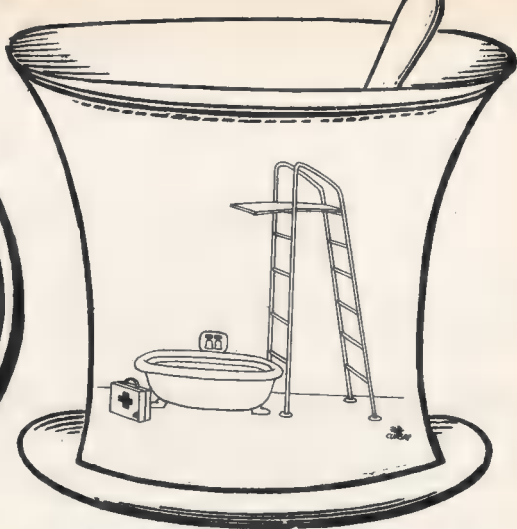
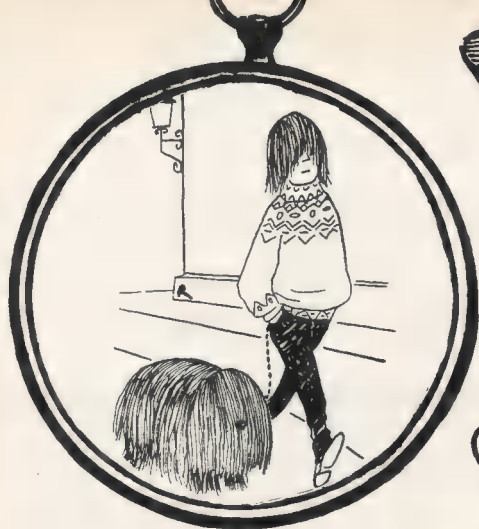
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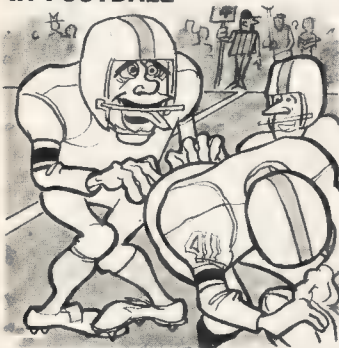




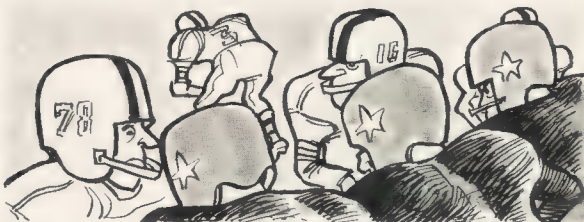
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IN FOOTBALL

WRITER: HOWARD MORGANSTERN



IT'S TIME TO RETIRE WHEN ...
... you get a hernia calling the signals.



IT'S TIME TO RETIRE WHEN ...
... you get confused too easily.



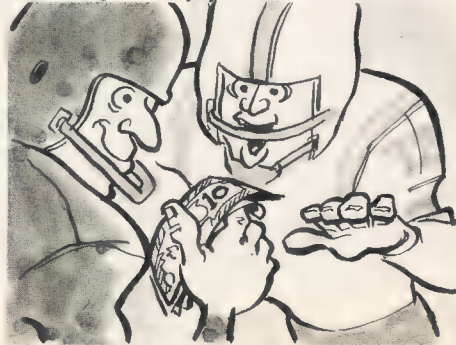
IT'S TIME TO RETIRE WHEN ...
... you need oxygen during game films.



IT'S TIME TO RETIRE WHEN ...
... you become too prone to injury.



IT'S TIME TO RETIRE WHEN ...
... you'll do anything to distract a tackle.



IT'S TIME TO RETIRE WHEN ...
... you try to bribe opposing lineman to let you by.

IN BASEBALL

ARTIST: FRED REICHART



IT'S TIME TO RETIRE WHEN ...
... you badly misjudge short pop-ups to the outfield.



IT'S TIME TO RETIRE WHEN ...
... you're no longer considered a threat at the plate.



IT'S TIME TO RETIRE WHEN ...
... you can lay down a bunt without using a bat.



IT'S TIME TO RETIRE WHEN ...
... your legs give out during the national anthem.



IT'S TIME TO RETIRE WHEN ...
... the kids rather you didn't autograph their ball.



IT'S TIME TO RETIRE WHEN ...
... your own teammates boo you.

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IN HOCKEY



IT'S TIME TO RETIRE WHEN . . .
... ■ hockey stick splinter takes you out of the game.



IT'S TIME TO RETIRE WHEN . . . you're whacked on the head with
■ hockey stick and don't feel a thing.



IT'S TIME TO RETIRE WHEN . . .
... you enjoy being in the penalty box.



IT'S TIME TO RETIRE WHEN . . .
... you need ■ practice swing before each shot.

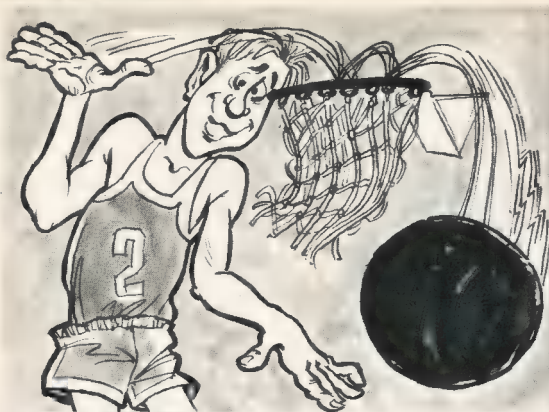


IT'S TIME TO RETIRE WHEN . . . your ankles go and you can no longer
make those sudden stops.



IT'S TIME TO RETIRE WHEN . . . you become very
careful who you pick a fight with.

IN BASKETBALL



IT'S TIME TO RETIRE WHEN . . .
 . . . your timing is off driving in for ■ easy lay-up.



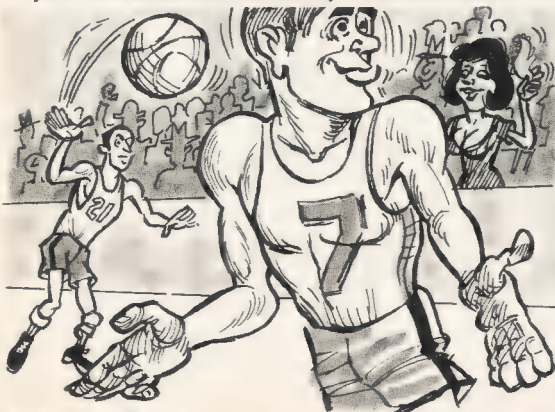
IT'S TIME TO RETIRE WHEN . . .
 . . . anybody can take a rebound away from you.



IT'S TIME TO RETIRE WHEN . . .
 . . . your own teammate steals the ball as you are about to shoot.



IT'S TIME TO RETIRE WHEN . . . you're all alone
 under the basket and your teammates ignore you.



IT'S TIME TO RETIRE WHEN . . . you become distracted easily. **IT'S TIME TO RETIRE WHEN . . .** you doze off during a jump ball.



You think the Brothers Grimm or Hans Christian Andersen would stand a chance of selling their stuff today? Very doubtful. Which leads us to this article with the ridiculously long title:

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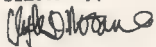
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Dear Sir or Madam:

Thank you for considering our publication for your story entitled 'Goldilocks and The Three Bears'. We are returning it to you because it does not come up to our publishing standards.

Your character 'Goldilocks' clearly commits a felony. She breaks into a house and takes food belonging to others. Further, she destroys private property of others. Surely this kind of willful disregard of law and order is not suitable material for children.

Sincerely,



CLYDE D. NOONAN
Story Department



LITTLE SILVER BOOKS, INC.

'Kiddie Favorites for Three Generations'

Dear Sir:

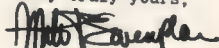
Thank you for submitting your story, 'Snow White and The Seven Dwarfs'. We are returning it to you for the following reasons:

First, we find the matter of a young girl visiting seven male dwarfs without parental consent in poor taste.

Second, the height of these men is not important to your story and, therefore, unnecessarily grotesque.

And third, we object to your ending in which you have the main characters 'living happily ever after' as it would be difficult to publish a sequel.

Very truly yours,



Milo T. Sweenplantz
Story Editor



TINY TOT LEARNING LAMP BOOKS

Dear Sir:

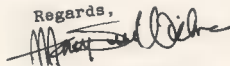
Enclosed herewith is your story, "Rumpelstiltskin".

We find the situation of a man trading his skill, in this case spinning gold, for someone's child repulsive in the extreme.

Also, the name of your main character would be much too difficult for children to read or even pronounce.

Several members of our Editorial Board were, however, interested in the idea of spinning gold. They suggest you revise your story into a Science Fiction tale and submit it to our subsidiary publishing company "Tiny Tot Tales of Tomorrow".

Regards,



Mary Sum Wicks
Submissions Dept.

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NIGHTY NIGHT GEMS' INC.

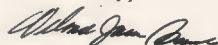
Dear Sir:

We are unable to publish your story, which you call "Rapunzel".

We believe your basic premise is at fault. Our researchers have determined the longest hair on record to be seventeen feet, eleven inches. In your story, the central character hangs her hair out a tower window and permits men to climb up on it. This seems to us to stretch credibility too far. Even if hair were to grow to the extraordinary length you describe, the weight of a human body would be too severe for the girl's scalp.

Perhaps you would care to re-write your story to include an entrance by ladder or rope. If so, we would be pleased to reconsider your work.

Sincerely,



Willma Jean Bluck
"The Story Lady"

KIDDIERAMA BOOKS
Great Reading for Over-Achievers

Dear Sir:

Your story, "Hansel and Gretel" was read with wonsiderable interest by our staff, but we must regretfully return it to you.

The consensus was that the burning of an elderly woman by two children is much too violent for our sensitive readers.

Thank you,

Ortin Creel
Ortin Creel
Story Editor



MOTHER GOOSIE MAGAZINE

'A Child's Garden of Goodies'

Dear Sir:

We read your story "The Elves and the Shoemaker" with some interest, but feel the subject matter has little commercial value.

Our Research Analysis Department tells us that 63.4 of children under the age of ten years like stories about airplanes. 43.5 enjoy tales about moon trips and other space explorations. 22.7 like jungle stories. An astounding 1.3 said they would read ■ story about ■ shoemaker and, even worse, only .005 said they would be interested in an elf and a shoemaker.

Thanks to our ■■■ computerized research system ■■ are now able to tell just what stories will have lasting, classic value.

Your rejected story is enclosed.

Sincerely,

Mark Sleek

Mark Sleek
Vice President
Computer Research Analysis



TODDLER TALES MAGAZINE
'The Story Lady's Official Monthly'

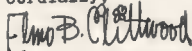
Dear Sir:

Thank you for your story, 'Jack And The Beanstalk'. We are returning it to you herewith.

Aside from the absurd elements in your story concerning the growth of an enormous beanstalk, we are rejecting your material primarily because of your obvious attempt to 'plug' a well-known line of food products. A giant stamping around a vegetable garden would be using our publishing company to promote those products. Free promotion of this nature is definitely against our company policy.

For a cost schedule, consult our legal department.

Cordially,



Elmo B. Clittwood
Editor

P.S. Ho-ho-ho



FAVORITE BOOKS FOR BOYS
'Wholesome Adventure Stories For Tomorrow's Men'

Dear Sir:

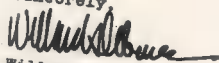
We are rejecting your story "The Goose That Laid the Golden Egg" for publication as a children's text in our state.

Left-leaning parents would be upset by the reference to the acquisition of gold on the ground that too much material importance is attached to the animal.

Right-leaning parents would be disturbed by the 'get-something-for-nothing' aspect of owning such a creature.

Please allow us to consider any of your other works, which we will examine with a view toward helping to build a strong, courageous, independent adult from the child.

Sincerely,



Willard D. Quince
Text Division

TEXAS

The sighs of taxes will be on us
Once we graduate;
The bills, the bosses and the mortgage—
These will be our fate.

Parents wonder why we riot
And why we students are high-strung.
We're just grabbing our last chance to
Raise hell while we're young!

GEORGIA TECH

We can make a wreck of Georgia Tech
And still be good engineers
We can tear up the school
And ignore every rule
And still be good engineers
We're all D-Minus students
But A-Plus mutineers!
We can make a wreck of Georgia Tech
As Demolition Engineers!

CORNELL

Far above Cayuga's waters
We will march en masse,
Waving banners, shouting slogans,
Cutting every class.

Seniors, and all underclassmen,
Protest! Go berserk!
'Cause if we are not protesting
We will have to work!

NEW UPTIGHT VERSIONS OF OLD COLLEGE SONGS

WINSOCKI

Knuckle down, Winsocki,
Knuckle down!
We will win our grievance
If you knuckle down.
Our demands are great,
But don't hesitate
Or we'll detonate
The whole damn state,
So knuckle down!

WISCONSIN

On with Arson,
On with Arson;
Let's burn down
The school.
We like burning
More than learning
Fires just make us drool.
Drool! Drool! Drool!
Conflagration,
Desecration—
That's our
Golden Rule
So, fellow hot-heats
Burn the school—
It's cool.
Cool! Cool! Cool!

NOTRE DAME

Jeers, jeers for old Notre Dame;
S.D.S. triumphs put us to shame!
All across the nation, students
March, burn and cuss—so why not us!

It's really fun and freaky to be
In today's papers and on TV
Plus no lectures, labs or finals . . .
Sound great? Let's DEMON-STRATE!

MAINE

('The Stein Song')

Raise a whine at dear old Maine,
Shriek till the rafters ring!
We can give the trustees a pain—
Let every angry Maine man fling
Some rocks at campus cops
Show'em how mad we are, men;
Then demolish all the classrooms
And never take a test again!

YALE

('The Whiffenpoof Song')

We're poor little creeps who just want our way.
Scream! Bomb! Smash!
And we hate the rules we're supposed to obey
Rip! Break! Crash!
We're down on people who earn lots of dough
But to Dad's handouts we never say no,
While telling our elders where they can go—
Boo! Boo! Boo!

**Don't miss an issue of Laugh-In Magazine!
Make sure you have every issue published!**



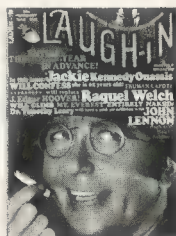
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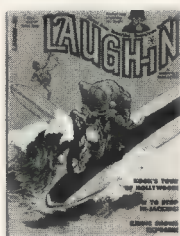
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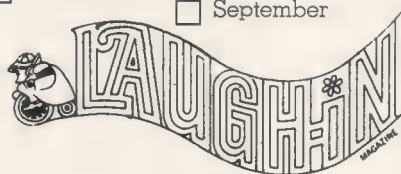
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THE PAINTER

SCENE III



YOUR PERSONAL HOROSCOPE

THE LAUGH-IN DAILY ASTROLOGICAL GUIDE FOR THE NEXT FOUR WEEKS



1.

Be careful during the period of the new moon. Watch for excessive growth of body hair, lengthening of fingernails and unusual appetite for raw bones.

2.

An emphasis upon recreation interests and hobbies. An excellent day to scrape the moss off your rock collection.

3.

The outlook is favorable for financial matters. Examine coin slots in all phone booths you see.

4.

Expect unusual build-up of fears, tension, frustration and nausea. They will possibly get worse even after you get up for breakfast.

5.

This will be an ideal day to stimulate new friends and relationships. Don't leave the house without your Squirt Flower, Red-Hot Chewing Gum and Joy Buzzer.

6.

Be sensitive to the needs of others. Show courage in the face of adversity. And what is more, you'll be a man, my son.

7.

The accent today is on pleasure, especially the tactile senses. Fondle a chamois.

8.

Your mood and attitude toward people who laugh at you will be put to the test. Especially at lunch when you drop that whole bowl of chili in your lap, clumsy.

9.

Your spirits can be lifted by welcoming new social contacts. However, do not kiss a strange Dachshund.

10.

Strive for harmony of movement today. For a change, forget about stepping on sidewalk cracks.

11.

Guard against face-to-face confrontations which could be annoying, shocking or revolting. Don't look in mirrors.

12.

New and old acquaintances may tend to spurn you today. Perhaps a new mouthwash or deodorant is called for.

13.

Give special attention to problems of the heart. At the same time, however, do not overlook the liver and kidneys.

14.

You will need to keep alert to the sensitivities of others. Show consideration to those you normally refer to as Creeps, Slobs and Idiots.

15.

Indications are for a day in which you will feel a totally new inner freedom. Something like wearing your raggedy old underwear.

16.

Venus and Saturn are in your Solar Second House. Work out an arrangement whereby you can warn them should a prowling car approach.

17.

This is a perfectly wonderful day for staying in bed with the covers over your face and crying a lot.

18.

Be reticent regarding your plans. Do not discuss anything with anyone. Leave the money in a plain paper bag under the reservoir.

19.

A sensitive day for you. Get out if you feel nervous or upset. Or if you are already out and feel nervous and upset, go back in. Get to bed by six P.M.

20.

Try to get through the A.M. hours without resorting to Dial-a-Prayer. The afternoon and evening should prove uneventful if you stay in the closet.

21.

Show tact in handling people. Cater especially to the whims of those with big fists and muscles.

22.

A very lousy day. Try to remain calm and very still. Hot or cold compresses might help. In the meantime, have someone boil water.

23.

Try to straighten up when you walk. Please don't eat so fast. And when are you going to get a haircut?

24.

The morning hours are good for cheering people who are ill. The sight of you would make anyone feel better.

25.

Deal tactfully and pleasantly with those you meet for the first time. If you smile cheerfully as you hand over your money, the mugging will surely be less severe.

26.

You feel rather smug about things today, don't you? Well, let me tell you this, Buster, you've got another think coming.

27.

Conserve all your vitality, resources and stamina in preparation for something terrible and inescapable . . . tomorrow.

28.

The moon in your sign increases the conviction within you that everything is all right and you're perfectly fine and normal. (tee-hee)

MORE SOLUTIONS
TO ANOTHER
IMPORTANT
PROBLEM OF
TODAY.....

THE LAUGH-IN

FORUM

more → THIS MONTH'S
QUESTION:
HOW TO STOP
AIR
POLLUTION?

ARTIST: LES TAYLOR

WRITER: JACK CLEMENTS



SMOKERS WILL HAVE TO WEAR
BAGS OVER THEIR HEADS.



MAKE ALL STREETS DOWNHILL
SO CARS CAN COAST.



LEAVES MUST NOT BE BURNED. THEY
CAN BE DISPOSED OF IN SALADS OR BY
ADDING THEM TO TURKEY STUFFING.



FACTORIES WILL BUILD THEIR SMOKE-
STACKS GOING INTO THE GROUND,
INSTEAD OF HAVING THEM STUCK UP
IN THE AIR.



EACH PERSON LEAVING CITY MUST
CARRY A BAG OF DIRTY AIR TO
DISPOSE OF IN THE SUBURBS.



BOTTLE AIR FOR SHIPMENT TO
UNDERDEVELOPED COUNTRIES WHICH
DON'T HAVE POLLUTION OF THEIR OWN.



BUSSES AND TAXIS WILL BE
REPLACED BY DOGSLEDS.



FACTORIES IN GENERAL WILL JUST
HAVE TO STOP MAKING THINGS.



THERE WILL BE NO 4TH OF JULY FIREWORKS, BUT PEOPLE WILL BE ALLOWED TO CELEBRATE BY YELLING BANG! BANG! WHILE WAVYING A FLAG.



PEOPLE WITH DANDRUFF WILL NOT BE ALLOWED OUT ON WINDY DAYS, NOR WHEN THEY ARE HAVING FITS.



INCINERATORS WILL BE ELIMINATED. GARBAGE WILL BE WRAPPED IN PACKAGES AND SHIPPED TO NEW ZEALAND.



ALL CARS WILL HAVE TO DRIVE IN REVERSE, SO THEY CAN SUCK UP THEIR OWN EXHAUST.



IN ORDER TO MAKE THE AIR MORE BREATHABLE A CITY ORDINANCE WILL BE PASSED TO KEEP THE CITY LIMITS FREE FROM SMOGS, FOGS, SMELLY HOGS, RANCID DOGS, BULL FROGS AND POLLYWOGS, DIRTY SKI TOGS, ROTTEN EGGS, GREASY COGS, AND UNWASHED SHOWER CLOGS.



WORLD'S GOOF-OFF CHAMPION

Be it hereby known that

Name _____

is now known as THE WORLD'S GOOF-OFF CHAMP!

This honor is bestowed due to the recipient's well-known abilities for shirking work, ignoring responsibilities, general gold-bricking and simply goofing-off in all its many facets, embodying all that is personified by that famous saying "Never put off until tomorrow what you can forget about completely."

LAUGH-IN

WRITER: HOWARD MORGANSTERN

FORTUNE KOOKIES

Respect for your elders will gain
you unexpected rewards.

Jackie Onassis

Censored

Somebody is about to give their
heart to you.

TOM SMOTHERS

Inhibitions are impeding your
progress. Don't be afraid to
expose yourself.

JOHN LENNON

You have the ability to make
people feel wanted.

J. EDGAR HOOVER

Don't fall for any get rich quick
schemes.

PAUL GETTY

DR. CHRISTIAN BARNARD

You have a tendency to be over-
emotional when expressing
yourself.

RONA BARRETT

Disregard previous fortune cookie.

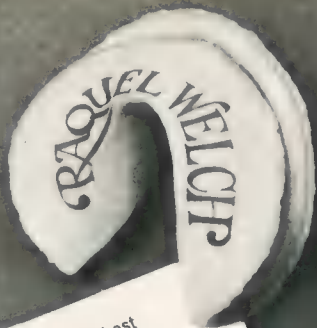
JOE NAMATH

You will be tempted to invest in a
business but it would be wiser
to pass.

TOM JONES

Friends can confide in you.

SPIRO AGNEW



Always try to make your best qualities stand out.



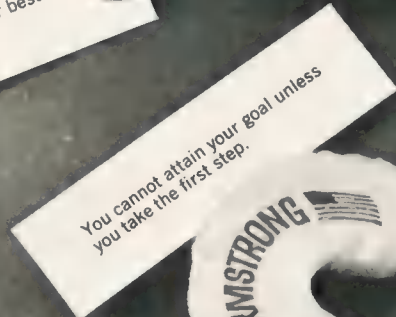
Don't be too proud to lean on people when you have to.



Don't sell yourself short.



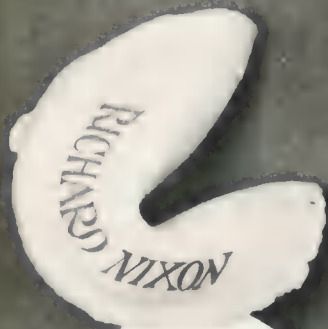
Don't worry, you've patched things up before.



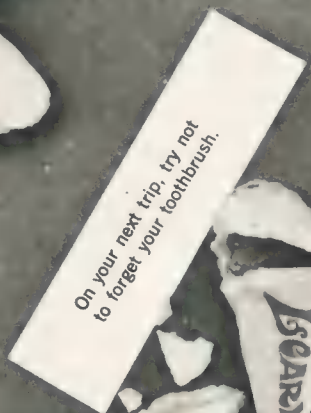
You cannot attain your goal unless you take the first step.



You have a way of getting people to reveal themselves.



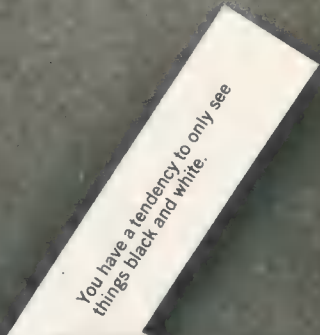
Don't let your job become too taxing.



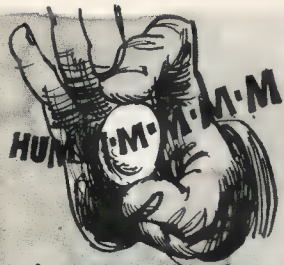
On your next trip, try not to forget your toothbrush.



Try just a dash more of salt.

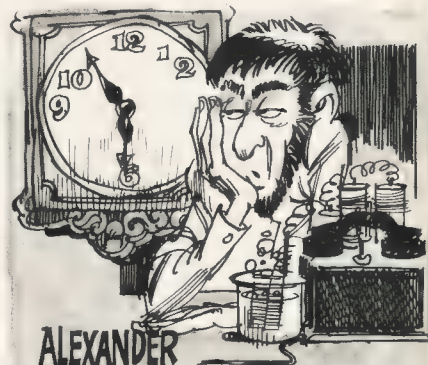


You have a tendency to only see things black and white.



a KUMQUAT that hums!
owned by Melvin Hainey of
Rye, New York

BELIEVE IT → or ← WHAT!!!?



ALEXANDER
GRAHAM BELL invented the
telephone so that he could take
advantage of the low direct dis-
tance dialing rates after 6:00 p.m.

the only bird that sheds real tears!!!
the SOUTH AMERICAN RED
BREASTED GLAWKER...a two
pound bird that lays a 12
pound egg!

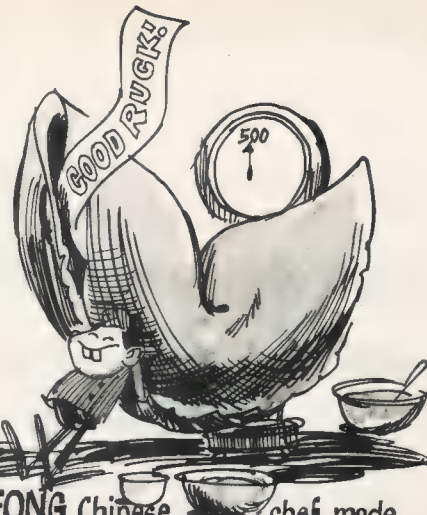


Morris K. Lurstoble
owns 26,867,684
popsicle sticks
marked 'FREE'!
He claims he
could break the
company any
time he
wanted to.



THE BLATZ METEORITE

is the largest known object from
outerspace ever to have fallen
on HERMAN F. BLATZ
of ELKO, Nevada.



PING FONG Chinese chef, made
a 500 lb. fortune cookie which looks exactly
like a one-thousand pound fortune cookie!!!

a CHICKEN in Fort Wayne, Indiana

is known
to have
contacted
PEOPLE
POX!!



GROVER, a swiss St. Bernard
is a vice-president of
a local Alcholics
Anonymous chapter.
When called,
he delivers a
keg containing
a recorded
talk and
a can
of fruit juice!!



It has been proven that if the
dome of New York's Temple Emmanuel were to be
inverted....it would hold exactly 378,945
bowls of chicken soup!!!!!!

LAUGH-IN'S LOOK AT THE NEWS

MAY THE BLUEBIRD OF
HAPPINESS MAKE A
NEST IN YOUR NAVEL!!



NEWS PRESENT



LAS VEGAS, NEVADA

Authorities here today said they would look into ■ complaint by ■ local priest that a bingo machine had been installed in his confession box.



NEW YORK, NEW YORK

A young Broadway actor was arrested this evening while hailing a cab entirely naked. He told police he was late and thought he'd save time coming to the theater in costume.



SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.

In a last ditch effort to discourage the use of marijuana, the San Francisco Vice Squad today raided local super markets and confiscated all the fudge brownie mixes.



SOUTH AMERICA

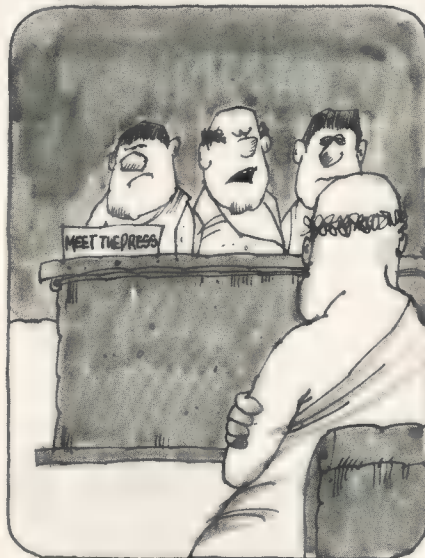
Latin president, Carlos Martinez, announced today that he does not plan to run for re-election. The statement came as no surprise as these were his last words before a rebel firing squad.

NEWS PAST



KITTY HAWK, N.C., 1903

Following their historic flight yesterday, Orville and Wilbur Wright stated that they had had every confidence in the soundness of their design and that putting bird seed in the engine was just for good luck.



ROME, 44 B.C.

Local historians, seeking to record for posterity, Brutus' last words to Caesar, were greatly disappointed today when Brutus informed them that all he said was: "Yeah . . . me too!"



LITTLE BIG HORN, 1876

General George Custer said today that he is tired of military life and that this will definitely be his last stand.



ONE MILLION, B.C.

Local genius Flug Klook discovered how to make fire today. After rubbing two sticks together for forty-two straight hours, they were finally struck by lightning and burst into flames.

NEWS FUTURE



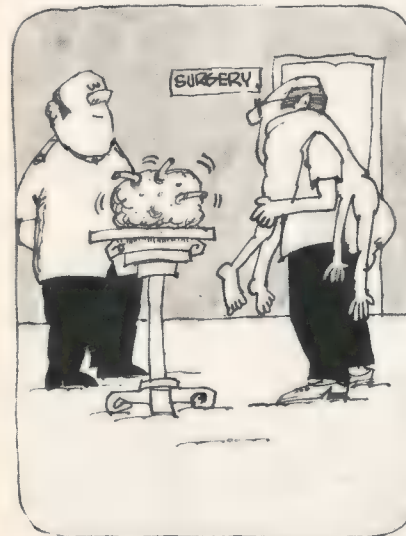
NORTH CAROLINA, 1985

The tobacco industry was deprived of its last form of advertising today when the government prohibited them from putting brand names on cigarette packs.



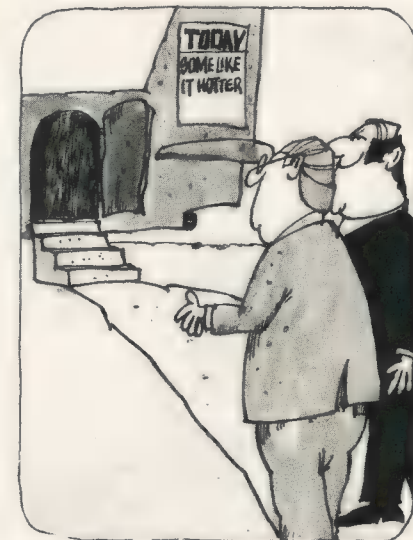
WASHINGTON, D.C., 1999

The U.S. Postmaster General stated today that the post office showing a profit for the first time in history was a direct result of increased efficiency, streamlined service . . . and the five dollar Air Mail stamp.



SOUTH AFRICA, 1994

A team of surgeons today gave a man — whose only healthy organ was his heart — a complete body transplant. However, they said only time will tell whether his heart will reject the new body.



CALIFORNIA, 1996

The major airlines issued a joint statement today saying that they have given up all hope of clearing the nation's jammed runways. They then announced plans to use the immobile planes for showing "art movies" at five bucks a head.


ATTN: JOHN WAYNE:
your quit is beginning to squeak

Blow in Fanny Hill's ear
and she'll follow you
anywhere

THIS IS CITY
PROPERTY:
KEEP your dog
on a leash!

I'm not an alcoholic!!
... I'm a common drunk!

ATTN: Martians:
THERE'S no life on
Earth as you
know it.

the MAFIA 
is Anti-establishment

FAMILIES THAT SPRAY TOGETHER
STAY TOGETHER

Tiny Tim eats Wheaties

attn: Narcotics
SQUAD:
check Walter
Cronkite's pipe

Disregard
1st
message

SIMPLE FOLKS
ARE HARD TO
EXPLAIN!

DDT IS A PEST

Dracula: Blot your
teeth after every
meal !!


WAKE UP AMERICA!!
ARE YOU CRAZY? It's
three o'clock in the morning.

XEROX
RAQUEL
WELCH!


the Ivy League
grows on you

PRUNE the
executive branch

DON'T FORGET
TO SIGN ~~TO SIGN~~
THE GUEST
BOOK.


America was
discovered by
Indians !!

ATTN: Dreyfus Fund:
Your lion was mugged in the Subway

THIS ASHTRAY
IS OUT OF ORDER


BEING SOUND
MIND AND BODY,
I HEREBY BEQUEATH
MY WORLDLY
POSSESSIONS TO !



ASK AT YOUR
LOCAL VARIETY STORE
TODAY!

Conversation piece
* *Ideal for parties*
* *Perfect gift item*

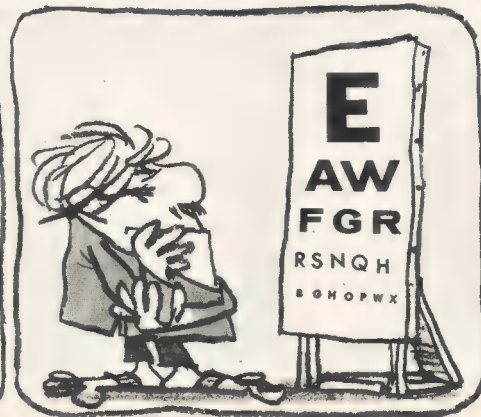


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"... AS USED BY OUR ASTRONAUGHTS IN SPACE!"

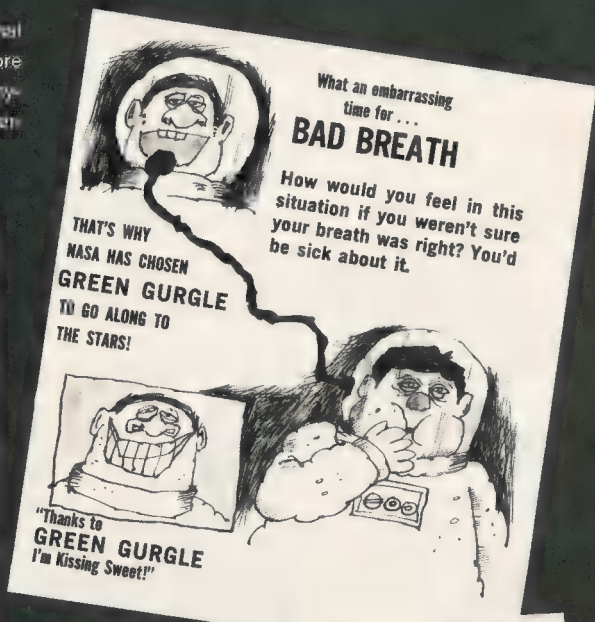
Now that a few products are making their claim in their advertising, we can expect more to follow. If the U.S. Government can't do anything about them—surely they will be powerless to stop these.

You don't have to
be a Jewish
Astronaut To Enjoy ...
MOTHER'S
CHICKEN SOUP



Yes, NASA knows
what boys like best.
GOOD, HOT
MOTHER'S
CHICKEN SOUP

ENJOY 



True, those rough red hands of the Atlas Missile days were embarrassing. But now with PADDYCAKE HAND CREAM astronauts are proud of each other's hands.

**WITH NASA, IT'S PADDYCAKE ALL THE
WAY TO THE MOON!**



**"Sure I use GREAZO on my hair in space!
No flaky dandruff floats around the
spacecraft with GREAZO!"**

Put **your** itchy scalp into the Space Age! Join the ever-growing group of America's Space Men who know, with GREAZO, "A Tiny Blob Does a Titan Job!"

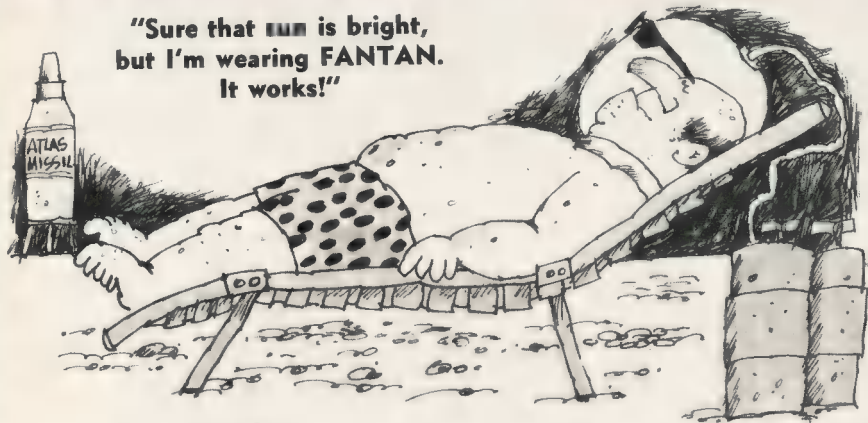


A moonwalk could be real trouble without

DR. SCROLES CORN PLASTERS!



Corns or bunions can bother space men just as they bother you. But the one Corn Plaster that goes up with Apollo is Dr. Scroles.



**"Sure that sun is bright,
but I'm wearing FANTAN.
It works!"**

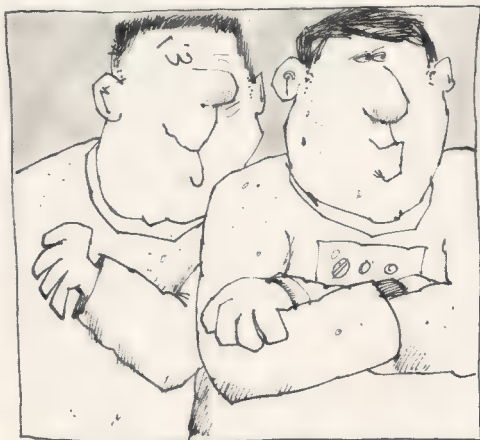
You bet it does. That's why FANTAN was selected by NASA to go along. Those unfiltered sun rays in space can give a nasty burn, but with FANTAN he returns to earth with a healthful tan that makes him feel more of a man.



... When they relax in their underwear—
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They know their underwear is OUT OF THIS WORLD!


Sure an electronics check is important,
but what an astronaut really asks before he
gets into that capsule is, "Is my underwear
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"AT A TIME LIKE THIS,
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REEK has been selected for use in outer space because of it's
lightweight unbreakable bottle and because it's fragrance over-
whelms even rocket fuel!



As poem
not by
Henry Gibson

The Protest Song of the Month

"THINGS TODAY"

Things are unpleasant in the present
But doesn't it make you feel
Exceptionally good
(Exceptionally good)
That it's no fault of ours?

Things are unpleasant in the present
But doesn't it give you such
A wonderful glow
(A wonderful glow)
To know we're not to blame?

War . . . Strife . . . Riots in the street
It isn't sweet
Oh, no, it isn't sweet.
Everyone who's under twenty-one agrees
It isn't sweet.

Things are unpleasant in the present
But doesn't it help to have
A song that speaks out
(A song that speaks out)
And makes the record charts?

GOT A PET PEEVE YOU'D LIKE TO AIR? WELL, HERE'S YOUR CHANCE! A SPECIAL DEPARTMENT WHERE YOU CAN SOUND OFF ON PEOPLE AND THINGS THAT REALLY BUG YOU. WRITE YOUR NOMINEE ON A POST CARD AND MAIL IT TO FINGER, LAUGH-IN MAGAZINE, 1800 HIGHLAND AVENUE, HOLLYWOOD, CALIF. 90028.

Artist: Les Taylor

ONCE AGAIN, ANOTHER GROUP OF CANDIDATES FOR THIS MONTHS...

FLYING PICKLE FINGER OF FATE AWARD



GAS STATION ATTENDANTS WHO DON'T WASH YOUR WINDSHIELD UNLESS ASKED.



WHOEVER PRICES THE ITEMS IN SUPER MARKETS.



PEOPLE WITH BIG DOGS THEY CLAIM HAVE NEVER BITTEN ANYBODY. (YET.)



CHARACTERS WHO WALK ALONG THE STREET TALKING TO THEMSELVES.



PEOPLE WITH MONEY WHO SAY, "MONEY ISN'T EVERYTHING."



BACHELORS WHO BRAG ABOUT HOW WELL OFF THEY ARE.



WATER FOUNTAINS THAT DOUSE YOU.



DOCTORS WHO DON'T TAKE THEIR OWN ADVICE.



ONE OF THE FUN GAMES OF WATCHING MOVIES IS GUESSING WHICH CHARACTERS ARE DOOMED TO GET KNOCKED-OFF BEFORE THE PICTURE ENDS. THE FINAL TIP-OFF USUALLY COMES WHEN THE VICTIM UTTERS A FAMILIAR CLICHE, THEN, QUICKER THAN YOU CAN SAY 'ELISHA COOK, JR.', WHAM, CURTAINS! SEE IF YOU RECOGNIZE SOME OF YOUR FAVORITES AS WE RECALL:

FAMOUS LAST WORDS FROM THE FLICKS!

Don't make me laugh, baby, you haven't got the guts to pull that trigger...

You can't frighten me! I'm gonna testify before the Grand Jury tomorrow morning and that's my final word!...

The murderer's name is...

This is my last job, baby. Just one more stickup and we'll have enough money to live it up in Mexico...

Go on back to your homes, men! He's my prisoner, and as long as I'm Sheriff in this town there'll be no lynching...


Wish me luck, honey, I'm riding in the Indianapolis Speedway tomorrow...

I tell you Indians never attack before dawn.
We have nothing to worry about if we stay here
by the wagons...

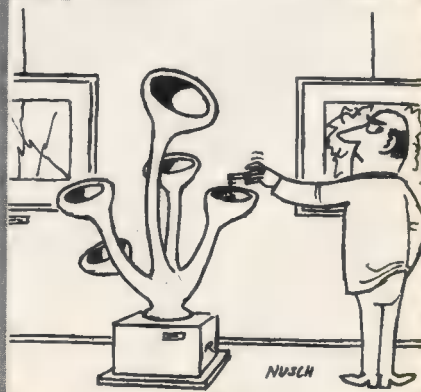
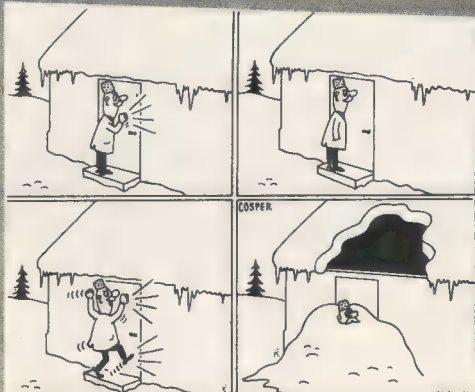
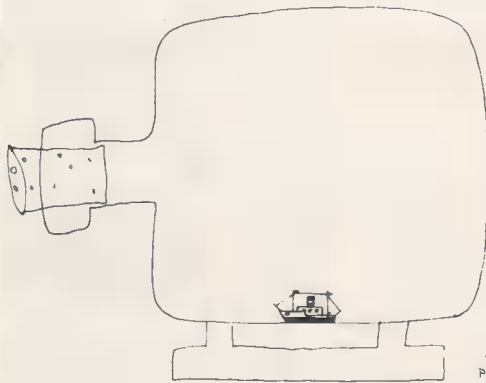
No sense checking on these Reds, Sarge. They
are all dead, I tell you. Hold my rifle, I
wanna get some souvenirs...


Gosh, but it's a big drop to the sea below.
Why'd you bring me up here, darling?...

I hear you're the fastest gun in the West, Slade.
Well, I think I'm faster...


So you fellas think you can shake me down,
hah? Well I'm one grocer who don't scare
easy. You just try to make  pay that
protection money...

It's some kind of weird creature from outer
space. I'm going to talk to him. I'll show him
we came here as friends. Here, hold my gun...





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Alexander Graham Bell, Eli Whitney, Thomas Edison and Hugh Hefner all became famous because they invented things the public needed. But what about those struggling people who failed to succeed with their inventions? It's time tribute was paid to that unsung band of losers known as:

INVENTORS WHO NEVER MADE IT

ARTIST: FRED REIGHART
WRITER: GEORGE HART



Mooney Tufts designed the world's first pumpernickel hockey puck which eliminated the fear every Goalie has of having a puck rammed down his throat. Unfortunately, Mr. Tufts was beaten to the Patent Office by a competitor who had created a puck made of licorice (with caramel center).



Earnest Claque, inventor of the "Boo Synthesizer", a tape device which enabled TV viewers to combat canned laughter and booing, cat-calls, jeers and hisses. Unfortunately, Mr. Claque's invention was destroyed (along with Mr. Claque) when he tested it on his wife.

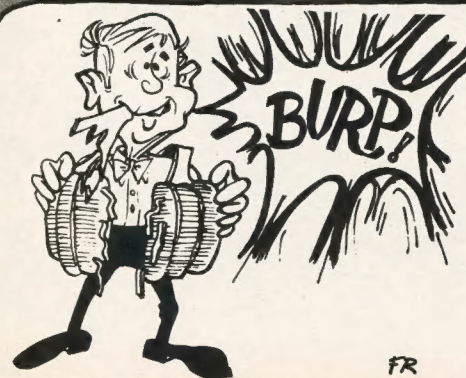
Ole O'Leahy, famous mountain climber and inventor of the Inflatable Alp for stay-at-homes. Mr. O'Leahy's proposed slogan was, "A Peak in Every Backyard". Alas, a dream never fulfilled. A faulty inflating device on a full scale model was accidentally activated while he was on his way to the Patent Office in his Volkswagen.



Barbara Q. Pitt, renowned chef and expert on outdoor cooking, has the distinction of being the only woman inventor on record ever to be dissolved by her own invention! It happened while she was testing her "Instant - Chili - and - Tabasco - flavored Meat Tenderizer". She was holding the spray-can backwards.



It took Paul LaRoyd twelve years to perfect a camera that would take and develop a picture in *fifteen minutes!* He learned too late that there already was a camera that could do the same thing in *one minute*, with a cost per photo of much less than his \$14.75 each.



Don MacWaves, inventor of the edible life jacket, designed to give floating shipwreck survivors the choice of drowning or starving to death. During a demonstration, Mr. MacWaves mistakenly picked up a standard life jacket and not only corked-up his esophagus but also fell victim to kapok poisoning.

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